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Remarks

To 9: Please have DCI concerns addressed  
in final draft for NFIB.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: National Intelligence Officer for Africa

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: SNIE 73-86: The African National Congress of South Africa: Organization, Communist Ties, and Short-Term Prospects

1. The draft of the estimate on the African National Congress does not bring out the purposes and objectives of the Soviet Union in its support and efforts to use the ANC. It seems disingenuous to ignore this and I think it should be made clear more fully early in the Key Judgments and in the discussion that we do have information from Soviet sources and from internal ANC documents that the Soviets have a clear reason and purpose in their support of the ANC and seek to use communists in the ANC leadership to achieve their purpose in fostering violence and avoiding a generally acceptable political solution in that country. I wouldn't want to put out an estimate that ignores that aspect of the situation and would appreciate your showing me some draft language which would bring this out more clearly.

2. Paragraphs 42 and 81 have material which would meet part of this need and, I would think, should be reflected more fully in the Key Judgments as well as what we know or suspect about Soviet purposes in supporting and seeking to influence the ANC.



William J. Casey

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